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RESPONSE TO NOTICE REGARDING DRAWINGS

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In response to the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification, mailed May 27, 2004, enclosed please find the following for filing in the above-identified patent application:

1. Copy of the Notice Regarding Drawings; and
2. Twenty seven sheets of formal drawings (Figs. 1A-27) for filing in the above-identified patent application.

The Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification mentions that Figures 28-31 are contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

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Applicants submitted figures 28-31 in error and hereby request that figures 28-31 be removed and ask that figures 1A-27 only be made of record in the above-identified application.

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NOTICE OF DRAWING INCONSISTENCY WITH SPECIFICATION

The drawings filed 1/7/03 have been received. However, an inconsistency exists between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Figures _____ are listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification but not contained in the Drawings.

Figures 28-31 are contained in the Drawings but not listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Applicant is required to correct the above-noted inconsistency within a time period of **ONE MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer**, from the mailing date of this Notice, or within the time remaining in the time period set forth in the Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) to file corrected drawings, whichever is longer. **NO EXTENSION OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136 (a) OR (b)**

Failure to correct the above noted inconsistency will result in **abandonment** of the application.

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